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	DESIGNATED/ELECTED CONCERNING A FILING L	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/570,052						
	ATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2004/012777	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE August 27, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED August 29, 2003					
GENE THERAPY FOR SKIN DISORDERS USING NEEDLELESS SYRINGES								
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Yasuo KUNUGIZA; Naruya TOMITA; Hideki YOSHIKAWA; Yoshiaki TANIYAMA; Katsuto TAMAI; and Ryuichi MORISHITA								
Applicant	pplicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:							
1.	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
2. 🛚	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
3.	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.							
4.	The US has been elected (Article 31).							
5.	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))							
	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
	b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.							
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).							
6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. is attached hereto. b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
7.	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))							
	a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
	b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.							
	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.							
	d. have not been made and will not be made.							
8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
9. 🛛	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).							
10.	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).							
Item	ns 11 to 20 below concern document	(s) or information included:						
11. 🛛	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.						
12.	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13. 🛚	A preliminary amendment.							
14.	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.							
15.	A substitute specification.							
16. 🛚	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.							
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.							
18.	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C 154(d)(4).							
19.	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							

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20. Other items or information: Copies of cited references AA-AF; copy of the International Search Report; return copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements.								
The follo	wing fees have been s	CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY					
21. Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))						\$		
22. Examina	ation fee (37 CFR 1.49							
by IPEA/US i	n prepared by ISA/US indicates all claims sat	\$						
23. Search fee (37 CFR 1.492(b)) If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)								
	TOTAL OF 21, 22 a	nd 23 =				\$		
sequence electronic	Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. Ital Sheets Extra Sheets Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number)					\$		
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing any of the search fee, examination fee, or the oath or declaration								
CLAIMS	NUMBER F	national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)). FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE				l		
Total claims		75 - 20 =	55	x \$ 50		\$ 2750.00		
Independent clain	ns	12 - 3 =	9	9 x \$200		\$ 1800.00		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if a		pplicable) + \$360		\$360	\$ 360.00			
		\$ 4910.00						
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by ½.								
		\$ 5040.00						
Processing fee of \$ claimed priority date	130.00 for furnishing t e (37 CFR 1.492(i)).	\$						
		\$ 5040.00						
	e enclosed assignmer over sheet (37 CFR 3.	\$						
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =						\$ 5040.00		
						Amount to be refunded:	\$	
						Amount to be charged:	\$ 5040.00	

а. 🔲	A check in the amount of \$	_ to cover the above fees is enclosed.				
b. 🛚	Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>20-1430</u> in the amount of \$ <u>5040.00</u> to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
с. 🛚	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>20-1430</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
d. 🔲	Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.					
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.						
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